

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL
Division of Operations-Management

MEMORANDUM OM 95-90

November 30, 1995

To: All Regional Directors, Officers-in-Charge,
and Resident Officers

From: B. Allan Benson
Acting Associate General Counsel

Subject: Impact of Government Shutdown
On Field Operations - November 1995

I want to thank you and all of the field staff for the outstanding job which you did in resuming operations on Monday, November 20, following 4 days of unprecedented shutdown of this Agency and the rest of the government. Through your exemplary efforts, the Agency was able to reschedule many canceled activities, including elections and hearings, within a very short period of time. While it is most unfortunate that the public had to suffer any interruption in the critical services we provide, you can take great pride in the manner in which you minimized the adverse effects on the employees and parties to cases which were most directly affected.

The General Counsel has been provided a summary of the effects on casehandling caused by the shutdown of the government from November 14 through November 17, 1995. This information was compiled from the reports which you submitted upon returning to work the week of November 20. The General Counsel will be distributing a summary of the effects of the shutdown both in the field and headquarters shortly. Thank you for your very prompt responses.

Please pass on my appreciation to all staff members for their continued dedicated performance.

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